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A BIRD'S EXPERIENCE.

I lived first in a house,
And lived there very well;
The world to me was small and round,
And made of pale blue shell.

I lived next in a little nest,
Nor needed any other;
I thought the world was made of straw,
And brooded by my mother.

One day I fluttered from my home
To see what I could find;
I said "The world is made of leaves;
I have been very blind."

At last I flew beyond the eaves,
Quite fit for grown-up labors;
I don't know how the world is made,
And neither do my neighbors.

A SAILOR'S OPINION OF A COMET.

We were told by a celebrated naval officer the following anecdote: On one of his cruises the sailors saw a comet, and were somewhat surprised and alarmed at its appearance. The hands met and appointed a committee to wait on the commander to ask his opinion of it. They approached him and said:

"We want to ask your opinion, your honor."

"Well, my boys, what is it about?"

"We want to inquire about that thing up there."

"Now, before I answer you, let me know what you think of it?"

"Well, your honor, we have talked it all over, and we think it is a star sprung a-leak."

WANTED TO KNOCK SOMEBODY.

I went into a Philadelphia bookstore the other day for the purpose of procuring a copy of Christopher North's well known *Noctes Ambrosianæ*. The first person I encountered was a red-haired clerk, to whom I said:

"Have you *Noctes Ambrosianæ*?"

"Wh-wh-what-what's that you say?" he asked, with mouth and eyes wide open.

"I called to ascertain if you have *Noctes Ambrosianæ*?"

"I don't exactly—that is, I don't under—knocked his—what did you say?"

"I say that I understood that you had *Noctes Ambrosianæ*. If you haven't, why don't you say so at once?"

"I don't know what you mean. I never did such a thing in my life."

"Perhaps you don't understand me. I wish to see if you have *Noctes Ambrosianæ*. Christopher North's *Noctes Ambrosianæ*."

"O, he has, has he? He's knocked his, what you call it, has he? Well, I don't care a cent if he has. You've come to the wrong shop. You must be crazy. Your mind seems to be unhinged; you haven't [illegible] eating off suddenly and addressing a clerk in the rear of the store.) "Say, Bill, here's a feller that's lookin' around here wantin' to knock somebody. Get a policeman quick."

Then I left and hunted up another emporium of learning.—*Max Adeler.*

A BRAVE DAUGHTER.

The family of Ducey, of Northamptonshire, bears for a crest a woman's head crowned with a helmet, the throat-latch loose, the visor thrown up, and her hair flowing and dishevelled. Its origin was as follows: In the latter part of the fourteenth century a brave knight, named Hotot, had a serious dispute with Sir Jasper Kingscale, concerning the title of a valuable piece of land; and, as a last resort, the rival claimants agreed to meet upon the disputed territory and settle the matter by a combat at arms. Hotot was well advanced in age, and, upon the morning of the appointed day, he found himself sick with gout, and in such pain that he could not even arise from his chair. In this emergency, his daughter Agnes, who held her father's honor very dear, and who desired much to regain the land, armed herself in full knightly panoply, and, upon her father's well known charger, and bearing a lance which she had often used in riding sport, went forth at the time appointed and met Kingscale. The fight was stubborn, but the maiden's suppleness of limb finally prevailed over the knight's greater physical strength, and in the end she dismounted him. Quickly leaping from her saddle, she drew her dagger, but Kingscale had no desire to renew the combat; and, when he had acknowledged himself vanquished, his opponent loosened her throat-latch and lifted up the helmet, thus letting down her flowing tresses upon her shoulders and discovering her sex. The lady afterwards married into the Ducey family, and in honor of this chivalrous and heroic act her descendants have used the above crest with the motto, "*Galea spes salutis*," which is, freely rendered, "In this helmet we trust our honor."

EARLY RISING.

Early rising, in civilized society, always tends to shorten life. Many a farmer's boy has been made an invalid for life by being made to get up at daylight, before his sleep was out. Many a young girl has been stunted in body and mind and constitution by being made to get up before the system has had its full rest. All who are growing, all who work hard, and all weakly persons should not get up until they feel as if they would be more comfortable to get up than to remain in bed; that is the only true measure of sufficiency of rest and sleep. Any one who gets up in the morning feeling as if he "would give anything in the world" to remain in bed a little while longer, does violence to his own nature, and will always suffer from it—not immediately, it may be, but in after years, by the cumulative effects of the most unwise practice. In any given case, the person who gets up in the morning before he is fully rested, will lack just that much of the energy requisite for the day's pursuits.

As a people, we do not get enough sleep, we do not get enough rest. We will not take time for these things; hence our nervousness, our instability, our hasty temper, and the premature giving out of the machinery of life. Half of us are old at three-score, the very time that a man ought to be in his mental, moral, and physical prime. Half of our wives, especially in the farming districts, die long before their time, because they do not get rest and sleep proportioned to their labor. Nine times out of ten, it would be better for all parties if the farmer should get up and light the fires and prepare breakfast for his wife, she coming directly from her toilet to the breakfast table, because it almost always happens that she has to remain up to set things right long after the husband has gone to bed, when really he has nothing to do after supper but to go to bed. This is a monstrously cruel imposition on wives and mothers.—*Hall's Journal of Health.*

FOR LADIES ONLY.

Blackwood says that the fact of matrimony or bachelorship is written so legibly in a man's appearance, that no ingenuity can conceal it. Everywhere there is some inexplicable instinct that tells us whether an individual (whose name, fortune, and circumstances are totally unknown) be, or be not, a married man. Whether it is a certain subdued look, such as that which characterizes the lions in a menagerie, and distinguishes them from the lords of the desert, we cannot tell; but the truth is so, we positively affirm.

Twins are said to be on the increase all over the country. *O gemini!*

An Iowa justice, to encourage matrimony, has reduced his fee to 25 cents per couple.

San Francisco now pays women teachers in the public schools the same salaries as men.

A Brooklyn girl has just rejected a suitor because his arm wasn't long enough to go round her. She says if she is going to have a lover at all, she means to have a good fit.

The wife of Rev. Henry W. Hale has taken, with her husband, the entire course in the Baptist Theological Seminary, at Newton, Mass., and received the usual degree—the first ever conferred on a woman by that institution. Both are under appointment as missionaries.

There has been more or less anxiety in the minds of heiress-hunters as to the status financially of adopted daughters, but the Massachusetts Supreme Court came to the help of both parties with a recent decree that a legally adopted child is, by the statutes, an heir to property the same as if it had been born in lawful wedlock. This decision gives an adopted girl $100,000 held in trust, which was to be distributed at the death of a man to his heirs-at-law or "issue." The court decided that a will giving the property to the wife was void, as the maker of it could not revoke the original settlement to his "issue."

In Philadelphia every lady is a centurion. Everything in that city is centennialated; wherever you go, whatever you do, the centennial stares you in the face; you have to wear it on your collar, and wash your hands with centennial towels and soap. The whole name is a farce, as it would lead you to suppose it was to happen but once in a hundred years; but in the City of Brotherly Love, it seems they are to keep it up forever. The girls have powdered their hair to make them look a hundred years older; the old women have powdered theirs to make them look like the young girls. On a careful estimate, there are about 220,000 Martha Washington costumes in that city, which costume consists of about three yards of old-fashioned curtain calico, a mob cap, a black patch under the left eye, and a seventy five cent pair of high-heeled slippers.—*Capital.*

The Baltic went across in eight days, and here is an extract from a letter of one of her passengers: "Mrs. Sartoris never left her state-room but once on the passage. She came on deck for a few minutes one morning in a blue wrapper and a white shawl, but before it was well known that she was out, she had disappeared again. Mr. Sartoris did not share this seclusion, but was around most all the time. He said his wife was not 'seasick' but 'homesick.' Poor Nellie; we could all of us understand that she might be, for of all the curly youths who part their hair in the middle (and it's your curly youth who always does that), Mr. Algernon Frederick and the rest of it, Sartoris is the curliest. While we waited our turn at the dock in Liverpool, he, with some others, went ashore and bought mutton-pies, so that the first really good look we had at Nellie Grant we had after she came ashore, was standing resting on her husband's arm, her eyes full of trusting affection, her heart full of confiding love, and her mouth full of Liverpool mutton-pie."

Here is something from the *Book of Beauty* that is strictly local here as elsewhere: "A handsome leg is a rarity, we had almost said an impossibility, among American women. The reason of this is the place where they wear their garters. No French woman, nothing is a woman of cultivation, now-a-days wears her garters below her knees. It is ruinous to the shape of the calf. More than this, it has serious consequences of another kind. The principal vein of the leg, *vena saphrenabrevis* runs just beneath the skin until it nearly reaches the knee, when it sinks beneath the muscles. Now, if this is obstructed at its edges by a tight garter, the blood is checked in its return to the heart, the feet are easily chilled, and more liable to disease; the other veins of the leg are swollen into hard blue knots, become varicose, as it is called, and often break, forming obstinate ulcers. This is a picture which a physician sees every day. With the garter fastened above the knee, all this pain and deformity is avoided, but it is still better to wear no garter at all, and to suspend the stockings by tapes around the waist. In this case, however, a well fitting stocking is needed."

A LADY LAWYER.

About the year 1776, Nicholas Linguet, the celebrated Parisian journalist and lawyer, was at the height of his fame. He enjoyed a great reputation for his skill in getting up cases, and for surrounding them with such dramatic accessories as were likely to tell on the minds of excitable French judges. One day, a beautiful lady, Madame de Bethune, came to ask his professional services in an action about some land, which she wished to bring against the Marshal Duke de Broglie, a great-grandfather of the present minister. Linguet had scarcely heard her to the end, when he said: "You are so lovely, madame, that your face is worth a speech in itself. What I advise is this: I will write a speech. You shall learn it by heart, and then rehearse it to me. When you deliver it in court you must be dressed in a light blue silk, the color best suited to your style of beauty, and if you speak as I shall direct you, I defy any bench of Frenchmen to find for the defendant." The event proved that Linguet knew human nature and his own countrymen well. Madame Bethune turned out the most apt of scholars. She learned her speech thoroughly, and delivered it with all the grace of style and manner that might have belonged to a finished actress. It lasted seven hours, and seven hours she held the judges entranced. She carried her cause without a dissenting voice.

AGASSIZ AND HUGH MILLER.

Hugh Miller, whose fame is world-wide, was first brought to the notice of scientific men by Prof. Agassiz. At a meeting of the British Scientific Society, Miller, who was then a common day laborer, approached Agassiz with a specimen of rock in his hand, and began to make certain inquiries concerning it. During the conversation that ensued, Agassiz discovered that this common day laborer was possessed of a large fund of geological information, which he had acquired by personal investigations, induced solely by his innate love for the science. Agassiz was delighted at meeting him, and introduced Miller to the members of the society, explaining the manner in which he had become acquainted with him. The friendship thus formed continued through their lives, and Agassiz wrote the introduction to Hugh Miller's first published work.

VARIETIES.

Sydney Smith's description of Lord Jeffrey, mounted on a donkey, is decidedly classical:

Witty as Horatius Flaccus,
As great a Jacobin as Gracchus,
Short, though not so fat as Bacchus,
Riding on a little jackass.

An inventive genius in Ohio, proposes to furnish horses with false teeth, so as to conceal their age.

Said a justice to an obstreperous prisoner, on the day of his trial, "We want nothing but silence, and but little of that."

A Yankee editor has recently got up a remedy for hard times. It consists of ten hours labor, well worked in.

An idle son to his father—"The world owes me a living, any how." Sarcastic parent—"That may be, but you are too lazy to collect it."

A homesick Pennsylvania school-boy, eleven years old, walked home, seventy-eight miles, in two days and a half, with no nourishment whatever except green clover leaves.

Said Mr. A. to Mrs. B., "Don't you think Mr. C. has a remarkable stock of common sense?" "He ought to have," replied Mrs. B., "for no one ever saw him use any."

A beautiful incident of woman's love has just occurred in Liverpool. A woman, to save her husband, who was charged with removing the end of her nose, swore she bit it off herself.

An industrious citizen of La Port, unable to do all his work in the day time, planted his potatoes in the evening by moonlight; what surprised his wife next morning was—what has become of those dough nuts?

The remark of a little eight year old on Monday, was in accordance with the wish of many people. "Mother," he said, "I wish I was half like a hen-coop, out of slats, and then the breeze could blow right through me."

The son of an admiral had red hair, of which he was ashamed, and wished to dye it. But his father said, "Nay, my son, rather behave in such a manner that all fathers should wish their sons had red hair."

A little girl meeting a countryman driving a load of slaughtered hogs, dropped a courtesy. The rustic, laughed, without returning the civility. "What!" said he, "do you courtesy to dead hogs?" "No, sir," replied the little miss; "I courtesied to the live one."

At a collection made at a charity fair, a lady handed the plate to a rich man well known for his stinginess. "I have nothing," was his curt reply. "Then take something, sir," she answered; "you know I am begging for the poor."

Because he had been sued for $29, a Barton, Vermont, man committed suicide, declaring that if he had got so low that his name was not good for $29, he did not want to live any longer. Such sensitiveness is extremely rare in America, and our readers in[illegible] and must not be misled by any isolated case like this.

A judge and a jesting lawyer were conversing about the doctrine of transmigration of the souls of men into animals. "Now," said the judge, "suppose you and I were turned into a horse and an ass, which would you prefer to be?" "The ass, to be sure," replied the lawyer. "Why," asked the judge. "Because I have heard of an ass being a judge, but a horse never."

Man's a fool!
When it's hot he wants it cool,
When it's cold he wants it hot;
Ne'er contented with his lot.
When it's dry,
He for showers is heard to sigh,
When to meet his wish it rains,
Of the wet the fool complains.
Hot or cold, or dry or wet,
Nothing suits that he can get;
I consider, as a rule,
Man's a fool.

A youth named George, was engaged to be married but was financially unable to call in the minister. His affianced wanted the affair brought to a finale, but George kept putting her off with promises, saying that he was not able to marry, etc., etc. Finally she said, "Dear Gauge, I am willing to marry you, if we have to live on bread and water." "Well, well," cried "Gauge," in desperation, "you furnish the bread, and I'll try and skirmish around and hunt up enough water."

Charles Lamb would not allow any great antiquity for wit, and, apostrophizing candle-light, said: "This is our peculiar and household planet; wanting it, what savage, unsocial nights must our ancestors have spent, wintering in caves and unillumined fastnesses! They must have lain about and grumbled at one another in the dark. What repartees could have passed, when you must have felt about for a smile, and handled a neighbor's cheek to be sure he understood it. Jokes came in with candles."

In 1828, the London papers recorded the singular will of an English testator, named Garland, containing the following clause: "I bequeath to my monkey, my dear and amusing Jocko, the sum of ten pounds sterling per annum, to be employed for his sole and exclusive use and benefit; to my faithful dog, Shock, and my well-beloved cat, Tib, a pension of five pounds sterling; and, I desire that in the case of the death of either of the three, the lapsed pension shall pass to the other two, between whom it is to be equally divided. On the death of all three, the sum appropriated to this purpose shall become the property of my daughter, Gertrude, to whom I give this preference among my children on account of the large family she has, and difficulty she has in bringing them up."

One day, at the principal theatre of Athens—the theatre in which the Athenians applauded the verses of Æschylus, of Euripides, and Sophocles—a mountebank appeared, who, by his imitations, immediately won the applause of the public. And what was the peculiar merit by which he succeeded in charming his refined and critical audience? It was his surprising skill in imitating the cries of animals. His marvelous talent in this direction was the delight of people who would hiss a public speaker who ventured to utter any but perfectly pronounced periods. "Humph! the thing is not so difficult!" said a peasant of Attica one day, astonished to see such encomiums so popularly bestowed. The spectators were furious, and evinced a disposition to chastise the presuming critic; and it was only by promising to come the following day and make a trial of skill with the mountebank, that he was allowed to go unharmed. The next day the theatre was crowded. When the peasant entered, he was greeted by a storm of cries and hisses. Quiet having been restored, the mimic imitated the cry of an Indian pig; the audience applauded frantically. Now came the peasant's turn, and his cry was received with [illegible] hisses and a shower of figs and dry nuts, whereupon the peasant raised his *toga* and showed a pig he had under it. "You see," said he, "you hiss Nature and [illegible]."

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THE LOCAL PAPER.—You owe it to yourselves to rally liberally to its support, and exact from it as able, high-toned a character as you would do from any educator in your midst. It is in no sense beneath notice and care for it is your representative. Indeed, in its character, it is the summation of the importance, interest and welfare of you all. It is the aggregate of your own consequence, and you cannot ignore it without miserably depreciating yourselves.—*New York Times.*

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

A cross on the wrapper of the GAZETTE signifies that the subscription has expired, and that the paper will be stopped. Those who wish it to be continued are requested to renew their subscriptions as soon as they see the cross.

An Injunction Suit brought by Messrs. Nickerson & Rice, of the Colorado City Mills against the Colorado Springs Company, was disposed of by Judge Hallett on Wednesday last. The object of the suit was to prevent the Company from taking water for their Irrigating Canal, from the Fountain, the plaintiffs claiming a prior right to the water for use in their Mill Race.

Judge Davidson, who appeared on behalf of the Company, entered a demurrer, and argued the right of the defendants to the water, on the ground that natural wants are superior, in their claims, to artificial wants, and that, in an arid country like this, where irrigation is necessary to the cultivation of the soil and therefore to the production of the means of subsistence, those who require water for that purpose have a claim which can in no case be set aside by those who—like the defendants in the case under consideration—require it merely for mechanical purposes.

Judge Hallett refused the injunction, and, in doing so, gave force and emphasis to the argument submitted by Judge Davidson, holding that, in this country, the requirement of water for the purposes of irrigation is a natural want, and consequently supersedes all artificial wants.

Thus, it would seem that the "prior rights" of the Colorado City Mills, which have been held up as a bug-bear, now and again, ever since the foundation of the Town, have no actual existence.

Inasmuch, as the proprietors have brought an action against the Company for $25,000 damages, and as that action is still pending in the District Court, we refrain from any further comments on this particular matter. The general principle, however, which has been laid down, is an important one, and one which has a significance for all parts of the Territory. It seems to us to be eminently logical and just. At the foundation of all wealth, at the foundation, indeed, of all existence, lies the fruitfulness of the soil, and that, above all other things, needs to be guarded and fostered. It would be an unwise policy, and an unwise law, if it existed, which would debar the owner of grain-fields from irrigating his crops because the owner of a grist-mill wanted the water to drive his burrs. Without the grain fields where would be the use of the mill? Unless the former flourish, the latter can do no service.

There is, moreover, another argument why the claims of the Fields and Gardens should have pre-eminence over those of the Mills. For the former nothing but water will serve; the latter can get along very well without it. We have abundance of coal in the Territory to drive all the mills which can ever be erected; we have but a limited Water-supply, and shall need to make the very best of it for agricultural purposes, unless the future State is to be continually impoverished by sending to distant markets for a large proportion of its food.

There are now about $150,000 worth of buildings at Manitou.

Mr. John Pixley has opened a Blacksmith's Shop on Huerfano Street, below Cascade Avenue.

The Rev. H. S. Brouse, formerly of Bristol, Pennsylvania, and now of Pueblo, will officiate in the Episcopal Church to-morrow morning.

A meeting of the Republicans of the Sixth Precinct, to elect Delegates to the County Convention, is called for next Wednesday evening, in Wanless' Hall.

Mr. G. W. Perkins & Co., our new Furniture Dealers, have put a Delivery Wagon upon the streets, and deliver all goods purchased of them, free of charge.

The number of white-covered wagons which come over the Plains prove that Railroads can't knock the [illegible]-fashioned things on the Road.

Strangers abound in the land.

Campers are thick in the "Bottoms."

Evans has a Public Fountain. For once, Colorado Springs is behind-hand.

The XX Base Ball Club go down to Pueblo to-day to play the return match, and they intend to come back victorious.

The La Font House property was sold on Saturday last, under a Decree of the District Court, to Mr. Thomas H. Burnham and Mr. J. S. Reed.

Messrs. True & Sutton have shipped a large quantity of goods to the Indian Agency at Los Pinos, during the past week.

The arrivals at the Colorado Springs Hotel during the week have been 132; at the Central, 86. The Hotels and Boarding-Houses generally are doing well.

Mr. W. S. Standart has just shelved his Store throughout, and has received, during the week, a large invoice of Boots and Shoes. We learn that he has already developed an extensive business, and keeps three men constantly employed.

Up to date, 125,000 pounds of wool have been shipped from this point. Most of this has been consigned to Mr. P. C. Hunt, of Denver, agent for a Boston house.

It is good to see old familiar faces again. People now and then take their departure from here, in search of a better land, but most of them come back. It is a good thing for people to know when they are well off.

A circular from the office of Beverly R. Keim, at Kansas City, calls for choice specimens of Colorado agricultural and mineral produce, which will be exhibited at various points throughout the country, and it is to be hoped a prompt and liberal response will be made.

The Second Adventists now announce that the world will come to an end in 1901. The announcement has given a terrible scare to some of our people who are getting on past middle life.

The Greeley people are in trouble, because they can't get water enough for their crops and their Town; grasshoppers are vexing the souls of the Boulder County farmers; the shade-trees of Denver are shriveling in the drought; the Divide is thereabouts "burnt up" by the fervent heat. Isn't Colorado Springs the best place after all?

The Denver *World* says there is a large amount of sickness in that city which is entirely attributable to the filthy condition of the streets and alleys.—Respectfully submitted to the Chairman of our own Board of Health, in the hope that he will have some of the filthy places of Colorado Springs speedily made clean.

If we have a Pound-Master—of which fact we are somewhat in doubt—we should like him to know that cattle are in the habit of wandering round the streets and tearing down the lower branches of the Shade-trees. If we haven't a Pound-Master, the Town Trustees would do well to appoint one, or to take some other steps for the protection of the trees.

The Colorado Springs Company, having laid out two out-lying tracts—at the north and south ends of Wahsatch Avenue—into Residence Lots, sold the whole of the lots, 39 in number, on Saturday last. This, we believe, is the largest sale of lots which has yet been made in a day.

The Denver *Mirror* says: An illustration of the carrying capacity of the narrow-gauge freight cars was furnished on Wednesday, when the Rio Grande Company shipped eighty-five Government mules from Denver to Pueblo, the whole lot being comfortably transported in six cars.—When the well-known "liveliness" of a Government mule is taken into consideration, this item has a deeper significance than appears on the surface.

We are indebted to Mr. B. H. Gurnsey for half-a-score of his latest Views of Pike's Peak. They include pictures of the Falls in Bear Creek Cañon, the Mystic Lake, the Abyss of Desolation, the Crater, the Bottomless Pit, the Perpetual Snow, and the Summit Signal Station. The Summit Views are remarkably fine—the fore-grounds sharp and distinct, and the distances soft and infinite. One or two of the pictures have fine cloud-effects.

The new colony at Monument, on the Denver and Rio Grande Railway is prospering. The trees set out in the spring are growing finely. Buildings are springing up rapidly, and the colony bids fair to be a great success. A project is under way for the construction of a wagon road from Monument to Bergun's Park, twelve miles distant, which, when completed, will open up for settlement large tracts of fertile land in the various valleys on the line of the proposed road, and will afford tourists the best facilities for visiting this grand park.

One of our contemporaries giving Mr. Nettleton's measurement of Pike's Peak, "starting from a bench mark at the Log House, Colorado Springs" adds, "But how was the altitude of the Log House obtained?" We thought we made it plain that the Log House is situated on the level of the D. & R. G. Railway, and that the levels of that Railway were run from the terminus of the K. P. Railway at Denver. The altitude of this starting point, we said, might be subject to correction, but it is to be presumed that the K. P. Engineers were accurate.

J. L. Sanderson & Company have put on a line of Coaches from Cañon City to the San Juan Country. The coaches are to run every other day, and to make close connection with the D. & R. G. Railway.

Pueblo is starting a new industry—the manufacture of fine-tooth combs from the cactus. So says the Denver *Times*.

The Pueblo people are "feeling good" over their railroad prospects. An eastern connection is the one thing needful, and they are working hard to secure it. They deserve success.

The Denver *World* says that a large number of shade trees in various parts of that city are dying for want of water. Evidently it was Denver, not Colorado Springs, that Father Meeker referred to a week or two ago.

Most of the emigrant "outfits" which come into this part of the country, have a fair complement of dogs with them. So those people who have been fearing that our stock of canines might give out may now take heart again.

The framework of the "Manitou Mansions" is [illegible] completed, and Messrs. Mathews & Davis, the contractors, have a large force at work on the building, so as to have it ready for the reception of guests as soon as possible.

The Episcopal Church was crowded on Sunday morning last, when Canon Kingsley delivered a characteristic sermon—full of vigorous thought, but eminently plain and practical.

As the comet will soon plunge below the western horizon, it is desirable that no opportunities for taking observations should be lost. Young couples who have arranged to "observe" in company and compare notes, should, therefore, get out as early in the evening, and stay out as late, as circumstances will allow.

From the Greeley *Tribune*.—The Cottonwood says to the Box Elder: "I am not afraid of the sun nor the wind, you stand behind me and I will protect you." Then the Box Elder says the same thing to the Soft Maple, and the Soft Maple says the same thing to the Black Walnut, and other trees; and all these say the same thing to the apple, and pear, and peach trees.

Nearly every newspaper now-a-days has a daily or weekly article on Hydrophobia. We haven't space for such, but if any of our readers are anxious to know all about the matter, let them import a mad dog, and persuade him to bite them. We say *import* a mad dog, for it is well known that mad dogs, like sunstrokes, are phenomena which never occur in Colorado.

Dr. Smith having offered a prize for the pupil in the Preparatory Department of the College, who should receive the largest number of votes "for general good qualities" from fellow-pupils, four weekly ballots were taken, viz: on June 22nd, June 30th, July 7th, July 13th. The prize was awarded to Mr. R. S. Owen. Among those receiving a large number of votes were Miss Kimball, Miss Kennedy, and Miss Rebecca Copeland.

The Denver *News* has got a "Gas-Saving Governor," which works like a charm. Close observation shows that the saving of gas is over thirty per cent., and it is expected that at least one, if not two, of the editors, can now be relieved from duty. The apparatus is especially commended to the 5th gentlemen who are to run for the Delegateship in the coming campaign.

The Rev. Walter H. Moore, of Denver, who preached here two Sundays ago, is off to Black Lake, away beyond the Snowy Range, with a party of gentle anglers. The Denver *Times* says they will spend their time equally in fishing, in meditation and communing with Nature in her silent sanctuaries, with the birds caroling in the bushes about them, with hilarious mosquitoes boring for their blood, and with the pismires swarming in their lunch baskets.

Canon Kingsley's Lecture on Wednesday evening, was listened to with marked attention throughout, notwithstanding its length considerably exceeded that of ordinary lectures. It would be useless for us to attempt to give any *resume* of the Lecture, for it not only sketched, with masterly power, the chief features of Westminster Abbey, the great English national mausoleum, but touched upon an almost innumerable number of suggested subjects. It must suffice to say that it afforded our citizens a rare treat.

St. Louis has a mining exchange, a new institution, in which there are about twenty large glass cases filled with mineral specimens from Colorado. The arrangement and classification are so made that the railway lines along which the ores occur are represented, affording those interested or capital seeking investment an opportunity to determine the transportation from the mines and furnaces to the markets of the world. From every locality in Colorado there are representative specimens of various mines and metals. There are also a great variety of crystals of the most beautiful forms. All the railroads in the Territory are represented. Minerals are most elegantly mounted upon blocks with beveled edges, upon which the label is attached. A number of raised offices have been opened within the exchange, to be used by mining companies. This enterprise is a credit to the city of St. Louis, and will do more to concentrate the mining interests of this region in that city than all other projects combined.

Green apples now delight the eyes of the doctors.

The Palace Amphitheatre Circus is billed and announced in our advertising columns to give two exhibitions in Colorado Springs on Wednesday next. It is now exhibiting in Denver, and the *News* says that, in its equipments, stock, and in the character of its performers, it has never had an equal in Colorado.

Chicago has been visited by another terrible Fire. Colorado Springs has her first Conflagration yet to come. But come, it probably will, some day or other; and, in order that we may be in some sort of readiness for it, we respectfully suggest that our present Fire Company,—who can't raise a quorum at their ordinary meetings—disband, and clear the way for some other organization. We cannot afford to risk everything to chance.

It seems almost past belief that the fine shade-trees which now grace our streets were stuck into the ground as bare poles, but little more than two years ago. For thriftiness and rapidity of growth, there is nothing like a cottonwood, and the man who despises it has something yet to learn.

We are requested to announce that on the second Sunday of each month, until further notice, Services will be held in the Reading Room, over the GAZETTE office, by the Right Rev. Joseph P. Machebeuf, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Church; services to commence at 9 o'clock, a. m. There will also be Evening Lecture at 7:30, p. m.

A number of robberies—of more or less magnitude—have lately been committed, in the Town and neighborhood. One of the boldest of which we have heard was committed on Tuesday last, at the Ranche of Mr. Joseph Hemenway, four miles south of Town. Mr. Hemenway and his wife were out at Manitou, and their son and farm hands were at work on the Ranche. During their absence, a chest of drawers was ransacked, the contents strewed over the floor, and about two hundred and fifty dollars in currency carried off.

We are printing the Premium List for the Fair, to be held in the middle of September. It will be ready for issue in a few days, and we hope it will be consulted very largely by our Stockmen, Farmers, and others, so that they may learn for what premiums are offered, and exert themselves to have a thoroughly good display in every class. There is no reason why the Fair should not be a great success and a great credit and help to the County, and everyone who can contribute to such a result should feel bound to do so.

The rain of Tuesday night gladdened the hearts of our farmers and gardeners, and they are now waiting for more with hopeful expectation. The appearance of the sky denotes that they will not have long to wait. Six weeks of drought and of extreme heat have made the season a very trying one, and we may congratulate ourselves that Colorado Springs and the surrounding section of country have passed through it so well. Water has been flowing continually through our ditches; our shade-trees are flourishing in rich luxuriance; fields and gardens look green and fresh; some crops and trees, which have never been irrigated a year, are looking fair; and, though there may have been some small losses of garden-stuff, they might have been avoided by a careful distribution of water when it was scarcest. There has been much more waste than want.

WHY PAT HASN'T PAID DOG TAX.

It would be a hard matter to tell why some people haven't paid Dog Tax; even their own consciences must find it difficult to frame an excuse. But Pat—his surname doesn't matter much—has a thoroughly good reason for not having taken out a license.

Along in February or March last, Pat and his dog were at work up in Bergun's Park; Pat felling trees and the dog doing the superintending part of the business.

One day as Pat was chopping away at the trunk of a sticky pine-tree, and the dog was nosing around generally, seeing that everything was right, Pat espied, up in the branches of a neighboring tree, a fine specimen of the *genus* wild-cat. That cat he resolved to have, or perish in the attempt.

Tying his dog at the foot of the tree, so as to make sure that the cat shouldn't escape during his absence, he made for Camp, in order to prepare for the struggle by arming himself with a huge butcher-knife. Then, returning, he loosed the dog, and began work. His plan was to fell the tree and thus startle the cat by the shock, so that the dog and himself might have a fair chance at it.

Stroke after stroke of the ax went to the heart of the tree; it swayed over, it began to fall. Pat was all excitement and expectation; the dog was all eyes and ears.

But, alas for the vanity of human hopes! Just as the tree-top neared the ground, the cat bounded out of it from the branches, dropped upon the back of the dog, gave one general "claw" on a [illegible], which nearly took the whole face off the poor brute; and then made off in double-quick time. Pat hurled his ax after the cat, and managed to hit a big rock, which made a considerable hole in the implement. The dog gave a heart-rending yell, and bolted in an opposite direction. And—he has never been seen since; *that's* why Pat hasn't paid Dog-Tax.

PERSONAL JOTTINGS.

The Hon. J. B. Chaffee has returned to Denver. And still they are not happy there.

Edwin Booth the eminent tragedian, is coming to Colorado for his health.

Col. Dodge, General Freight and Passenger Agent on the D. & R. G. Railway, has been paying a visit to Colorado Springs. He reports business to be exceedingly good.

James H. Schuyler, Esq., one of our former citizens, and who was on the staff of the D. & R. G. Railway, has been appointed Engineer of the Stockton and Ione Railway, California.

And his brother, Capt. Howard Schuyler, is to be married very shortly.

Tom Burnham is now a Cow-puncher in truth, which nobody can deny. He has just purchased 500 head of fine cattle.

Dr. Brewer, formerly of Chillicothe, Missouri, has taken up his residence in Colorado Springs, and will engage in the practice of Dentistry.

Bishop Machebeuf, of the Roman Catholic Church was in Town during the early part of the week, and made arrangements for regular services here. Particulars of which will be found in another column.

"Grace Greenwood" and her daughter have arrived in Denver, on their way to Manitou, to spend the Summer. There is no climate which suits Mrs. Lippincott like that of Colorado.

Mr. W. W. [illegible], Secretary of the Colorado Stock-Growers' Association, favored us with a call early in the week. Mr. [illegible] has been here on business matters, as a representative of the Denver *News*.

Gov. Hunt has been in Town during the week.

Mr. W. W. Nevin, who spent the early portion of the Summer in Colorado Springs, has taken editorial charge of the Philadelphia *Press*, during the absence of Col. J. W. Forney, in Europe.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Mr. D. C. Crawford, of the firm of Crawford & Jamieson, Real Estate Agents, Golden. Mr. Crawford is an old citizen, and was formerly County Clerk of Jefferson County.

Mr. Fargo, of the firm of Wells, Fargo & Co., has been in Town for two or three days, looking after Express matters.

Dr. Robert H. Lamborn, the Vice President of the D. & R. G. Railway, who has been spending several weeks of the Summer here, left yesterday for Philadelphia, where the Eastern office of the Company is established.

The Rev. M. F. Sorenson, who has had charge of the Episcopal Services here since last fall, has accepted a Call from Christ Church, Cañon City, and will immediately assume the Rectorship of that Parish. It is the intention of the Vestry there, to establish a first-class school—graded, if occasion requires—of which, we believe, Mr. Sorenson will be the Principal.

Professor Cope, the eminent Paleontologist and Naturalist, who spent a large part of last Summer in the Territory, and who lectured here, as many of our readers will remember, on "Colorado before the Flood," is to spend the present season in Colorado, in following up his investigations of the remains of extinct species of vertebrate and invertebrate animals. He will work in connection with Lieut. Wheeler's Expedition.

General S. E. Browne, an attorney well known to many of our readers, has been disbarred by the Supreme Court of the Territory. Three charges were made against him, one of forging a deed, one of collecting a judgment of twelve hundred dollars and failing to pay it over to his client, and one of collecting four hundred dollars for lost baggage from the Kansas Pacific Railroad Company, for parties in Chicago and failing to remit the same. The first and second charges were not sustained, but the third, in the estimation of the court, was. Judge Belford delivered the unanimous opinion of the court, and pronounced the sentences disqualifying Gen. Browne from practicing in the District and Supreme Courts of this Territory, and also removing him from the position of Register of Bankruptcy, which he has held for several years.

Canon and Miss Kingsley left yesterday for Denver, and were to start East this morning. They intend to sail for England on the 25th. It is a matter for much regret that the state of Canon Kingsley's health, during his stay here has prevented his obtaining that acquaintance with the country and the people which, we know, he would have been glad to obtain, for there are few men living who could more thoroughly and justly appreciate the peculiar characteristics of both, and who could do us better service with the pen. His impressions, we are glad to know, are exceedingly favorable and his expressions of hearty interest and good-will at the close of his lecture the other evening were of the sincerest character. We are pleased to state that both Canon and Miss Kingsley have promised to favor us with occasional contributions to our columns.

As the College School closes this session this week, the Rev. Mr. Edwards will cease, for the present, to conduct weekly Services in the Presbyterian Church; closing to-morrow evening with a discourse to Young Men in Business.

EXPLORING EXPEDITIONS.

A division of the Hayden Exploring Expedition, under charge of Mr. A. D. Wilson, with Dr. Endlich as Geologist, Mr. Rhoda as Assistant Topographer, and Mr. Gallup as Barometrical Observer, arrived from Denver on Wednesday, and left on Thursday for the Ute Pass, for the San Juan Country, where they are to spend the remainder of the Season in explorations. There will be five other divisions in the field, and the greater portion of Western Colorado is to be covered. Professor Hayden, who has charge of the whole expedition, is expected to arrive here in a day or two.

We were favored with a call, yesterday, from Dr. H. C. Yarrow, of the Wheeler Exploring Expedition, who furnished us with some particulars as to the Season's contemplated work. Lieut. Wheeler is expected to arrive in a day or two, and the expedition will then divide at Pueblo, into three portions, which will set out for their respective fields of labor. The first party will be commanded by Lieut. Wheeler, (who has charge of the whole expedition), with Lieut. Whipple as second in command. The two other divisions will each be divided into two sub-parties, respectively commanded by Lieutenants Marshall, Birnie, Price, and Hunt. The fields of operations will be in the Valleys of the San Juan, Canadian, and Rio Grande. Mr. Aiken, our local Taxidermist, will be attached to one of the parties. Professor Cope and Dr. Yarrow will devote the Season to Paleontological investigations in the neighborhood of Santa Fé. A branch of the expedition is already at work in Arizona.

BUILDING OPERATIONS.

Building is not so lively as it was two or three months ago; still several new structures are under way, and others will be begun in the course of a few weeks.

The three lots north of the GAZETTE office, on Tejon street, have been purchased by Mr. A. S. Walker, of Philadelphia, and work has been begun on a Brick block, 5[illegible] feet by 5[illegible].

Baron & Rodgman's Brick Block on Huerfano Street is being plastered, and will very soon be ready for occupation. It consists of seven stores on the first floor, and about [illegible] rooms on the second floor. The front is the best specimen of brickwork in Town, unless we except Geo. [illegible]'s store.

Stanley, White & Sweet will have a fine block on the corner of Tejon St. and Pike's Peak Avenue as may be judged from the extensive cellars, which have already been built.

Activity in Church-Building still continues.

Arrangements are being made for the immediate erection of a Roman Catholic Chapel on the corner of Wahsatch and Rio Grande Streets, in the southern part of Town.

The stained windows for the Episcopal Church are expected to arrive to-day, and will be put in their places in the course of next week.

The Cumberland Presbyterian Church is rapidly approaching towards completion.

Residences are being erected in various parts of the Town, and a general improvement in style may be noted.

Mr. W. [illegible] will have a large and handsome villa on Cascade Avenue. The builders are making rapid progress with it, and its proportions are already well defined.

Mr. Geo. Summers has his residence, just to the north, nearly ready for occupation. The manner in which the roof is painted is a "new departure" and might be copied with advantage.

Mr. O. H. Barker is building on Pike's Peak Avenue.

Mr. Gibson is building a story-and-a-half [illegible] residence on Weber Street, near to Pike's Peak Avenue. Mr. [illegible] V. Bentley is building a two story frame on the same street, near to Huerfano. Mr. Wittram has just completed a nice residence on the same.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Anderson have just finished houses on Cucharras St.

GLEN EYRIE.

Glen Eyrie, with its marvelous masses and pinnacles of many-colored rock, and its beautiful and romantic Queen's Cañon, ranks high among the points of attraction which are clustered together, here at the foot of Pike's Peak, and it is desirable that—although it is private property—it should remain open to all who care to visit it. We regret, therefore, to learn that some of the Visitors thither are so regardless of the minor beauties of the Glen—notably its trees and shrubbery—that the owners will be compelled, unless a little more care and consideration are shown, to exclude the general public. To drive off the roads, hitch horses to trees and bushes, make pathways anywhere through the brush, and so forth, are things of common occurrence, and some Visitors are not content even with such damages to the natural adornments of the place, but proceed to still less justifiable interferences. The other day a visitor tried experiments with the hydraulic ram which has just been put in, in consequence of which it is now temporarily useless.

We hope that those who visit the Glen will remember that the grounds are private, and the home of a family who value every shrub and twig, and that they will be considerate accordingly. Their pleasure need not be a whit the less.

THE COLLEGE.

The closing of the first term of the Preparatory Department of the College was celebrated on Tuesday evening last, by an exhibition in the City Hall, which attracted a large audience.

Professor Edwards, the Principal, opened the proceedings with a brief sketch of the progress which had been made, and incidentally stated that no less than ten States were represented by pupils in residence.

The programme was well rendered, and, if it were not invidious, where all did their best and did so well, we should select for commendation Misses Rose Lure, Kate Kennedy, and Lily Kimball, and Messrs. Justin Edwards, H. M. True, A. C. Kimball, R. S. Owen, and, though alphabetically last, by no means meritoriously least, Mr. George Sarl.

The Lord's Prayer was sung well in unison, [illegible] effectiveness enhanced by a clear intonation.

Mr. Justin Edwards, in his Salutatory Address, polysyllabic though it was—was deservedly encored for his declamatory vigor, while of the Dialogues, and Pantomimes "Taking the Photograph," "Mr. Dandrey's Visit," and "Love in Ambush," struck us most, thanks to the histrionic ability of Mr. R. S. Owen, Mr. George Sarl, and Miss Kennedy.

On Wednesday an examination of Candidates for admission to the Freshman Class was held in Warren Hall, being conducted by a Committee, consisting of the Revs. [illegible] Bristol, [illegible] Browne, and [illegible] Marlington, and the College teachers.

The examination opened at 9 a.m., and closed at [illegible] p.m.

Papers in eight subjects were required, six of the subjects being given, viz: Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography, English Composition, U. S. History, and the Elements of Latin. The two other subjects were left to the choice of the Candidates from among the following: Latin and Greek, the Modern Languages, Physical Geography, Algebra, Natural Philosophy, and Physiology.

The minimum of marks in each subject was [illegible], and the Committee [illegible] admission into the Class should only be given to those who average eight subjects, or to those who obtain such average in six subjects and should submit themselves to examination, and gain that average in three other subjects in September next.

Eighteen Candidates presented themselves, of whom three passed absolutely, and thirteen others were recommended to pass on the conditions we have stated; two failed through the presentation of too few subjects. The Candidates designated their papers by numbers, and the following was their [illegible]:

No. 1—7 studies, average 70; conditioned on Arithmetic, and present an 8th study.
No. 2—7 Studies, (7[illegible]); conditioned on Arithmetic and Physical Geography.
No. 3—6 studies, (74); conditioned on U. S. History, and present a 7th and 8th study.
No. 4—8 Studies, (85).
No. 5—6 Studies, (8[illegible]); conditioned on Latin, and present a 7th and 8th study.
No. 6—6 Studies, (80); present a 7th and 8th study.
No. 7—Not studies enough presented. Two, average 8.
No. 8—6 Studies, (84); present a 7th and 8th study.
No. 9—6 Studies, (80); conditioned on Grammar.
No. 10—7 studies, [illegible]; conditioned on [illegible], and present an 8th study.
No. 11—8 Studies, (75); conditioned on Geography and U. S. History.
No. 12—10 Studies, (75); conditioned on [illegible].
No. 13—10 Studies (77); conditioned on [illegible].
No. 14—7 Studies, (81); present an 8th study.
No. 15—7 studies, (81); present an 8th study.
No. 16—8 studies, (80).
No. 17—Not studies enough presented. Two, average 8.
No. 18—9 Studies, 75.

COLLEGE MATTERS.

CAMBRIDGE and BOSTON, MASS.,
July 4, 1874.

Dear Editor of the Colorado Springs Gazette:

I have not forgotten that I proposed you and we are ever pledged in my diary to let your many readers know of my whereabouts and what I see and hear of interest to them. And now, after so long a time, and on the 4th of July, my [illegible] campaign gone, and I take a little wicked pleasure in writing to my cultivated English friend my first [illegible] letter from this seat of learning and cradle of liberty. I will not attempt to date my letter on Bunker Hill, for a battle there both armies fought and won, and kindred blood did mingle on the 17th of June, near one hundred years ago; yet the [illegible] American liberty is dated from the death of Warren on that day. Our National Independence of the British Crown is acknowledged as virtually ended (July 4, 1775) by the pen which placed the names of the noblest heroic men to that ever memorable Declaration that the United States ought and shall be free and independent of all foreign powers. In history

> There Cesars have mighty story with them
> here all the sceptre and the pen.

And it is interesting to notice that the fourth-day of our nation commemorates the superiority of the pen to both the sword and sceptre. The Declaration of Independence is the command of the sword and the defiance of the sceptre by the most inspired assertions of the pen in the hands of pious and patriotic men, who, in the fear of God, were led to pledge to liberty "their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor!" and England and America are both better for what they did.

But, Mr. Editor, I do not write on this National Anniversary nor date my letters from Harvard College and the cradle of liberty in Boston, with the intent of occupying any space with a "Glorious Fourth of July" Speech, but simply because on this holiday I have nothing to do with persons new or pupils for the Colorado College, which is my first object of thought and effort every day in the year. To-day, the business houses are closed, the men, women, and children are not at home. Boston, and "the [illegible] country round about," are having a promiscuous (republican, or rather, democratic) good time generally, and, as I never yet learned how to have a [illegible] season of any sort, I shall [illegible] and go the next [illegible], trying to write a running article for the press. In the mean time, the speech of Hon. Richard Frothingham, the dancing of the children, and the ascending of balloons, etc., etc., will go on quite as well as if I were present or omnipresent at them all.

When I left Colorado on the sixth of May, my plans were to be in New York and Boston on their two successive anniversary weeks, occurring in that month, but by correspondence I learned that those important weeks were omitted in the calendar; this was for want of encouragement that the many benevolent objects would be sufficiently aided to warrant the celebration at so much expense. I also learned that our friend, Rev. Dr. Post, of St. Louis, who had invited me to become his guest, was gone away, and that it was wiser to pass the Mound City by, till that one good man got back. So I switched off the train at Kansas City and hurried to Chicago. I saw there for a day or two so many despondent men, that, after sharing the hospitality and generous good cheer of Hon. W. [illegible] Austin, I took the cars which carried me to the City of Brotherly Love, where I found over a hundred men who had been to Colorado or have interests there, and with them I "talked College" night and day and Sabbaths, too, for some two weeks. I have told the College with what success. Philadelphia is one of the noblest cities I ever knew, and although my work is not of the welcome, winning sort, I saw kind men and happy faces there which I shall never forget or fail to [illegible]. I did not, however, have the good fortune to see the man who will make the Rocky Mountain College his immortal monument; and, as you know, I am after some such sages whose sense of the useful, good, and grand may lead them to give us largely and [illegible] the van of all our benefactors. So I came eastward to attend the college anniversaries of Connecticut and Massachusetts, which have been held in quick succession for several weeks, and are not over yet. Interspersed among these are several ecclesiastical meetings of importance which I have much enjoyed. At Putnam, a new manufacturing town, named, perhaps, after the famous Israel and the wolf, the General Association of Connecticut held a very interesting session of several days, and a similar body of representatives of [illegible] and churches in the Old Bay State, convened at the same time at [illegible], the busy [illegible] town of Massachusetts, and discussed all the interests of church and state, and foreign fields, which belong to men of faith and matter-of-fact to consider. To both these bodies I presented the claims of Colorado and received formal assurance of their kind encouraging regard.

At the last of these I met the distinguished Rev. Prof. Seeley, who has traveled round the world addressing and instructing large assemblies as he went; and at his request I spent a Sabbath at Amherst to address the multitude of students and their friends, upon the wants of God in science and in nature. The President, Dr. Stevens, whose soldier son gave his life so nobly, [illegible] the [illegible] and deeper sorrow in the sudden decease of another [illegible] son, showed how he [illegible] for space and support. [illegible] worth of personality appeared in its most suggestive form in the spirit and manners of that afflicted father, a great, good man indeed; whose affection of his sons extends also his interest in the many sons of other men placed under his common [illegible] care. President Stevens is by experience and education peculiarly fitted to preside over the interests of Amherst College, and that important and beautifully located College was never more prosperous than it is now. I [illegible] got, but cannot give just now, the number of noble looking youth whom I addressed that day in the College Church; but it does not [illegible] much from those of Yale and Harvard, which are larger than ever in their history before. [illegible], whose father was a famous and most faithful Professor here, though afflicted more sorely than even Dr. Stevens, can tell you of the real, the and increasing wealth of his worthy institution among the Amherst [illegible]. And at starting, at a time and place [illegible] as [illegible] them ours are young, grand mountain-state and beautiful [illegible] of Colorado Springs.

The morning before I went to Amherst, I saw the 100 Seniors of Harvard moving in procession, and presenting a very fine appearance. They average older and more mature than Harvard graduates in other years, and I was glad to see them move through much [illegible] to the honors of their gala day without either rudeness or too much regret at rain.

I went from Amherst to Worcester, to see Prof. Wetmore, a prominent candidate for Colorado College, and addressed the very interested [illegible] up in the campus near. I had also some applications for a place in our College classes if Prof. Wetmore could [illegible] with us, but I was pained to learn that the beloved instructor was in New Hampshire, and [illegible].

From this suburban town of Worcester, I went to attend the *One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Anniversary of Yale*. A previous visit there, and a frank talk with President Porter and his estimable wife and daughters, had prepared me to anticipate a royal time; and my best anticipations of enjoyment were more than realized. I was the guest of Rev. Dr. White, whose work as solicitor of funds for a Female College to accompany or compete with Yale, made him sympathetic with me in very deed. The anniversary of the law school was excellent, with good sense and serious suggestions from ex-President Woolsey, and Edwards Pierrepont. The latter is a lawyer whose logic was exceedingly loose, or wit was rather gay, for he labored to show that men should give and students should go to crowded Colleges, on the false assumption that solitude savors of barbarism; and the city of New York was next appealed to, to illustrate the absurdity of calling the culture of the crowd a christian civilization. The exercises of the graduating class at Yale, showed great thoroughness of discipline, and culture in the regular College course; but I was not surprised to learn that the Prof. of Rhetoric there was the Commissioner of the U. S. Revenue at the New Haven Port; for the performances of the young men were singularly wanting in that polish and power which thorough Rhetoric and Elocution are wont to produce, and which the American people have a right to demand and expect.

The amount of professional ability for money at the *Alumni Dinner* was marvelous, and most decidedly in poor taste, as was also the adulation of *Alma Mater—Yale*. Still there is no College in the country entitled more to confidence and cordial cooperation in terms of sound case, than this notable seat of learning in the beautiful "City of Elms."

After another Sabbath of service in the city of Brooklyn, I went again through the "Land of Steady Habits" to the Puritanic city of Boston—more beautiful than ever, since it was burned. The new built portions are by far the best, and who has not heard of Boston Common? And who that has seen it on the 4th of July, can ever forget the forest of human bodies moving 'neath the leaves of the overshadowing elms above them. Indeed, all New England seems in motion, and its green fields and noble shade trees are unsurpassed in this month and June.

Drove in haste through the city on the morning of July 1st, to attend the Anniversary of the several institutions at Andover. The Abbott Female Seminary, the Phillips' Classical Academy, and the Divinity or Theological School, are here; and the elevation on which they stand is known as "Zion's Hill." [illegible]—a beautiful, and a happy place; and I never heard graduating parts be one so well performed.

Rev. Dr. Peabody's address here upon the Relations of Science and Religion, was well received, and quite as orthodox at Andover as at Harvard, he is Summer Professor at Harvard, and the College preacher of that place.

The College and Education Society will meet in Boston on Wednesday next, after which you may hear from me again. I write you in great haste and confusion.

[illegible] N. SA[illegible]

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Pure Kansas Honey at a Reasonable Price at the Kansas Produce Store.

PRINTED BILL HEADS.

All sizes. Finest quality. At the GAZETTE Office.

10,000 Pounds Honey for sale at the Kansas Produce Store—Wholesale and Retail.

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Go to Rucker's "Ranche" and buy your Groceries.

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A NOVELTY—Fifty Superfine Visiting Cards, white or tinted, with name, or name and address, in neat Card-Case, for a Dollar and a Half, at the GAZETTE Office. Call and order.

Honey in any quantity at the Kansas Produce Store.

"THE INDIANS ARE KILLING RANCHMEN."

Wan-ke-tah-zah-is-yun-hi, Chief of the raiding party, says that he will not kill Tom Rucker the [illegible] Ombrajo of Rucker's "Ranche," as long as he sells Groceries so cheap.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the 6th Precinct will meet in Wan[illegible] on next Wednesday evening, July 22, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention, to be held in this place July 25. By order of Committee.

[illegible] C. WILSON, Chairman.
R. T. TAYLOR, Secretary.

FOR SALE—CHEAP.—An A No. 1 Single Buggy. Apply to

ODLE & HOFFMAN,
Huerfano St., Colorado Springs.

WANTED.—A good Banjo. State cash price and [illegible]. Address C,
GAZETTE Office.

FOR SALE.—A good American Work Horse, cheap. Enquire at this office, or of
S. E. SISSONS.

LOST.—On the evening of Canon Kingsley's Lecture, a bunch of Keys. Any person having found the same will confer a favor by returning them to the Office of this Paper.

SADDLE HORSE FOR SALE.—Enquire at the office of this paper.

PIANO, $200, FOR SALE.—In good order. Enquire at "OUT WEST" OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—A Rockaway carriage for sale very cheap. Can be seen at the Livery Stable of Charles Holmes. For particulars, enquire of [illegible] W. G[illegible]Y.

FOR SALE.—Down Town Lots, 25 feet front, on Nevada Av. One lot, 100 feet front, on Wahsatch St. Three lots, 100 feet front, on Corona St. Two lots, 100 feet front, on Roger St. Accommodating Terms, by
Dr. [illegible] KIMBALL.

FOR SALE.—A first-class Sheep Ranch, on Squirrel Creek, containing 160 acres, commanding an extensive Range. Good Springs. The above will be sold low for cash.

Apply to [illegible] W. [illegible] BARD,
P. O. Box 106. Colorado Springs.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—The beautiful and neighborly located cottage, corner Weber and Kiowa Streets, Colorado Springs, from August 1st. Spacious Vestibule, Reception Room, Parlor (both with Bay Windows), Chamber, Kitchen, Cupboards and Closets, on first floor. Three handsome chambers, each with closets, and a store room, on second floor. Excellent cellar, well, etc. Lot 100 by 190 feet, tastefully enclosed. Views of Mountains and Plains from Porch, Piazza, and all the rooms unsurpassed. For full particulars enquire of Mr. Van Orden, No. 3 Hartwell's Cascade Terrace.

[illegible] A. [illegible], San Francisco.

THE undersigned having purchased at a very low figure the property heretofore belonging to the estate of Geo. [illegible] Sweet, deceased, are prepared to sell the same in lots to suit purchasers, at prices very much lower than those for which similar property is being sold in the Territory. The property consists of several thousand fine Spanish Merino graded ewes, lambs, wethers and bucks, several hundred full blood Spanish Merino bucks, and about seventy-five thorough-bred short-horn cows, bulls, and calves, with pedigree, and about forty brood mares, colts, draft and road horses, and a large full-blood Spanish Jack, together with wagons, buggies, farming implements, and several Ranches, etc. Time will be given on approved paper.

Address BROWN & JONES,
Fountain, El Paso County, Colorado.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

TERRITORY OF COLORADO, }
COUNTY OF EL PASO, } ss.

BY virtue of a certain writ of execution, to me directed, from the District Court of El Paso County, in favor of J. C. Myers & Bro., against Rensselaer Smith, I have levied on the following described property, to-wit: Lots 15, 16 in Block 187, and Lots 31, 32, Block 186, in the Town of Colorado City, El Paso County, which I shall expose to Public Sale, on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1874, at the house known as the Holmes House, in the Town of Colorado City, County of El Paso, and Territory of Colorado, to the highest and best bidder, for ready money. Sale to be between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

ROB'T DONNELLY, Sheriff,
By DELOSS DURFEE, Dep'ty.

July 18th, 1874.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between Alva Adams, J. C. Wilson, and James E. Wood, under the firm name of Adams, Wilson & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Alva Adams will collect all dues due to the firm for accounts contracted at Pueblo and Del Norte; Wilson & Wood will collect all accounts due to the house at Colorado Springs.

ALVA ADAMS.
J. C. WILSON.
J. E. WOOD.

Colorado Springs, January 1, 1874.

THE undersigned having purchased the interest of Alva Adams in the business at this place, will continue the Hardware business at the old stand, on Tejon street, under the firm name of WILSON & WOOD.

Thanking a generous public for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to the old firm of Adams, Wilson & Co., we hope by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

J. C. WILSON.
J. E. WOOD.

PROBATE SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of El Paso County, the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Elias Craig, deceased, will offer for sale at auction, at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Colorado Springs, County of El Paso, and Territory of Colorado, on Saturday, July Eighteen (18th), in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-four, the following described property, situate, lying and being in the Town of Colorado Springs, County of El Paso, and Territory of Colorado, known as Lot Two (2), Block Two Hundred and Sixty-four (264). Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, noon.

[illegible] S. WOLFE,
[illegible]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DENTISTRY.

Dr. F. A. BREWER, D. D. S.,
DENTIST,

Will open an office in a few days, in Colorado Springs, for the purpose of practising his profession.

300,000.

The Largest Stock,

The Finest Brands,

The Cheapest Cigars,

In Colorado Springs, can be found at the

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MONITOR

LUMBER YARD,

C. R. HUSTED,
PROPRIETOR.

Lumber of all Kinds.

Yard on Tejon Street.

[illegible] AMERICAN [illegible]

AND

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EVENING Performance at 7 o'clock.

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THE GREAT [illegible] JOCKEYS.

THE GREAT CARLO FAMILY, 8 in Number.

THE [illegible], The Great French Clowns.

[illegible], The Champion Leaper of the Universe.

[illegible] and [illegible]ASC[illegible],

And a superb stud of

TRICK HORSES and PONIES, Together with elegant music by a SUPERIOR BAND.

JOHN WILSON. - - - ***Proprietor.***
OMAR KINGSLEY, Equestrian Director.
[illegible] A. [illegible], Agent.

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THIS Sales Museum of The Colorado Cabinet Company, is now open for exhibition at Colorado City. The Company have more than Forty Thousand Specimens for sale and are in the daily receipt of additional supplies. Will soon supply minerals from more than one hundred sites.

Our stock must be seen to be appreciated.

A liberal discount made on sales of Geological, Mineralogical and Metallurgical Cabinets.

No admission fee charged to persons who buy one dollars' worth of Specimens. Satisfaction given or money refunded. A liberal credit given to Colleges and Schools if desired.

Tourists, connected with Institutions of Learning, can make their orders while here and pay at their convenience. No tourist will go home satisfied without first visiting Colorado museum, and carrying away some mementoes.

Cards of admission for sale at the principal Hotels and Boarding Houses.

SOMETHING NEW!

RUSSELL & LUKE'S ART GALLERY, on the corner of Tejon and Kiowa streets, opposite the County Clerk's Office, is now complete, with an entire new stock of Apparatus, the best the market affords. All those desiring Pictures will please give us a call. We are prepared to do first class work in every respect. All pictures carefully re-touched. Freckles and imperfections of the face removed. Children's pictures a specialty. Please bring them between the hours of 10 a. m., and 2 p. m. Copying and enlarging done to order. We also have a stock of Frames at as low price as any in Town. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. Rocky Mountain Views for sale.

RUSSELL & LUKE.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF EL PASO COUNTY, FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1874.

Dr.		
To Cash on hand, January 1st 1874		$650 84
To Warrants Outstanding, January 1st, 1874		2,68[illegible] 41
To Warrants Issued from Jan. 1st to June 30th, 1874, to wit:		
For keeping Prisoners	$353 35	
" keeping Paupers	855 25	
" Books, Printing, Stationery, &c.	301 85	
" Repairing Bridges and Roads	415 09	
" Officers' Salaries	325 15	
" Office Rent and Fuel	135 75	
" Collecting Taxes	472 23	
" Making Assessment	100 00	
" Justices' Fees	7 75	
" Plats and Field Notes	155 00	
" Sheriff's Fees	217 50	
" School Superintendent's Fees	260 04	
" County Attorney's Fees	175 00	
" Additional Juror Fees	115 00	
" Office Furniture	58 65	
" Coroner's Inquest	53 00	
		$3,982 61
To DISTRICT COURT EXPENSES.		
For Fees of Grand Jurors	$234 50	
" " Petit Jurors	680 70	
" " Witnesses	881 30	
" Meals for Petit Jurors	69 00	
" Fees of Clerk Dist. Court	240 00	
" " Dist. Attorney	275 00	
" " Sheriff and Bailiffs	414 25	
" Miscellaneous Expenses	32 00	
		$2,8[illegible] 75
To Interest on Warrants		864[illegible]
		$10,240 [illegible]4

Cr.	
By Warrants returned by Treasurer for cancellation	$9,353 33
By Interest paid on Warrants	86 93
By Balance cash on hand	160 40
By Outstanding Warrants to Balance	639 48
	$10,[illegible] 14

Statement of the Financial Condition of El Paso County, June 30, 1874.

To Warrants Outstanding, Jan. 1st, 1874		$2,687 41
To " Issued as per above Statement		6,814 [illegible]
To County Bonds Outstanding	15,000	
To Int. on Bonds at 8 per ct. per annum	720	15,720 00
To Cash on hand, Jan. 1st, 1874		650 84
		$25,87[illegible]

By Warrants Paid		[illegible]
By Outstanding Bonds to Balance	15,000	
By Int. on Outstanding Bonds to Bal.	720	15,720 00
By Warrants Outstanding to Bal.		639 48
By Cash on hand		160 40
		$25,875 21

B. F. CROWELL, County Treasurer, in account with El Paso County.

To County Fund on hand, Jan. 1, '74	$650 84	
To " Tax Collected	8,058 10	
To Interest Collected	304 63	9,01[illegible]
To License Collected		600 00
To Ter. Fund on hand Jan. 1, '74	921 18	
To " Tax Collected	1,632 02	2,553 20
To Special Fund on hand Jan. 1, '74	433 00	
To " Tax Collected	[illegible]	[illegible]
To School Fund on hand Jan. 1, '74	2,190 50	
To " Tax Collected	[illegible]	[illegible]
To Military Fund on hand Jan. 1, '74	[illegible]	
To " Tax Collected	121 00	[illegible]
To Road Fund on hand Jan. 1, '74	[illegible]	
To " Tax Collected	[illegible]	2,2[illegible]
		$[illegible] 86

By County Warrants paid	[illegible]	
By Interest paid on same	[illegible]	
By County Fund on hand	[illegible]	
By " Tax refunded	[illegible]	[illegible]
By Ter. Fund paid Ter. Treasurer	[illegible]	
By " Tax refunded	[illegible]	
By " Fund on hand	[illegible]	[illegible]
By School Fund paid School Supt.	[illegible]	
By " Tax refunded	[illegible]	
By " Fund on hand	[illegible]	[illegible]
By Road Warrants paid	[illegible]	
By " Tax refunded	[illegible]	
By " Fund on hand	[illegible]	[illegible]
By Special Tax refunded	[illegible]	
By " Fund on hand	[illegible]	[illegible]
By Military Tax on hand	[illegible]	
By " " refunded	[illegible]	[illegible]
		$[illegible] 86

TERRITORY OF COLORADO, }
EL PASO COUNTY. } ss.

I, IRVING HOWBERT, County Clerk, in and for said County, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amount of County Warrants issued, and of the Receipts and Expenditures of El Paso County for the half year ending June 30th, A. D. 1874, together with the statement of the Financial Condition of the county, and the Treasurer's account, as the same appears of Record in my office.

Given under my hand and official seal, this 7th day of July, A. D. 1874.

[SEAL.] IRVING HOWBERT, County Clerk.

Examined and approved by the Board of Commissioners, this 7th day of July, A. D. 1874.

MATT FRANCE, Chairman.

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Everything in the market.

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Sleep late in the morning and get a hot Breakfast.

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[illegible] SPRINGS & [illegible]

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Distance from Colorado Springs, 16 miles.

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PERSONALITIES.

Nilsson's last season made her $87,240 richer.

The author of the "John Brown" song of war times, is said, by a correspondent of the Boston *Transcript*, to be Mr. Charles [illegible], of Charlestown, "a man of strong abolition principles, and a somewhat eccentric muse." This song was really the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," Mrs. Howe's being of too mystical and metaphysical a beauty to accompany hard tack and forced marches.

It has been reported that Father Hyacinthe has been making efforts to secure a reconciliation with the Pope, but this rumor is set at rest by the following quotation from a sermon recently preached, defining his position: "With a willing heart," said he, "I would be reconciled with the Pontiff, but upon two conditions: first, that he renounce his personal infallibility; and secondly, that he should consent to bless the cradle of my child."

Nellie Grant's mother-in-law is no less a personage than Adelaide Kemble, the youngest and last of the Kemble family, daughter of Charles and niece of the great John Kemble and Mrs. Siddons. Adelaide Kemble made her *debut* on the lyric stage at Covent Garden Theatre, 1841, and, after a year of the most complete musical and dramatic success that ever attended any artiste, fell in love with and married Mr. Sartoris, and at once retired from the stage, and it is to their only son that Nellie Grant is married. A connection certainly well worthy of proud remembrance.

The man who runs Wall street is a little dark eyed, dark-skinned, black-haired diminutive gentleman, who hasn't seen Wall street in six months. He does it by telegraph from his private residence on the corner of Forty-seventh street and Fifth Avenue, whose snugly furnished basement is his throne. Bums are his scepter. The unpretending autocrat of stocks is the only man whom Vanderbilt is afraid of. He is the man who paid the public debt of many millions and made millions by the operation, and his other name is Jay Gould.

The late Stephen Whitney, the millionaire, was very economical. When boarding at the [illegible] House, at [illegible], he used to delight in giving his grand children practical lessons in the affairs of life. He took one of the boys who had bought an expensive fishing rod out on the docks, where a number of country lads with hickory poles were pulling the fish out very lively. The boy, however, [illegible] in catching even a bullhead, and the old man gave him a lesson from the circumstance, showing that those who achieve success in life are not always those blessed with the most advantages.

Some curious gossip about Prince Bismarck is given by a German correspondent of a London paper. The Prince has long been in the habit of retiring to rest after midnight, drinking regularly one or two bottles of champagne as a sleeping potion. He prefers a comfortable home, and only in the most rare cases attends balls and assemblies. He likes farces, and all the cartoons and sketches respecting him are carefully collected by his daughter and placed in albums. The more absurd the caricatures in Berlin comic journals, such as the *Kladdera[illegible]*, [illegible] and [illegible], are, the more he laughs. He has a great liking for journalists, and they are all fond of him.

I hope that no expectations were entertained in the United States concerning honors to be paid to the President's daughter on her arrival here as Mrs. Sartoris. The papers recorded the act of her marriage in a paragraph of five or six lines, but no mention has been made of her arrival with her husband in England. In fact, the opinion seems to be that the young lady made a mesalliance and has placed herself at a great disadvantage. As Miss Grant, the daughter of the American President, she was welcomed here by the swells and received by the Queen; but as Mrs. Sartoris, the wife of an English civil engineer, she is nobody. I scarcely know whether she can be presented at court. It is to be hoped that she will not be made unhappy by the change which her marriage has wrought in her position.—*London Letter N. Y. Tribune.*

The will of the late John Edgar Thompson shows how thorough was his devotion to the business to which he gave his life, and in which he gained so much distinction. After providing for his wife, two sisters, a niece, and a nephew, his trustees are to appropriate the net income of the estate, after payments specified, or so much as may be judiciously applied thereto, to the education and maintenance of female orphans of railway employees, whose fathers have been killed while in discharge of their duties. The preference is to be given to the orphans of employees engaged upon the Pennsylvania railroad; second, to those of the Georgia railroad; third, to those of lines controlled by the Pennsylvania railroad by lease or otherwise; fourth, of those of employees of any railroad company in the United States of America. The estate is valued at $2,000,000. This constitutes one of the most remarkable charities on record, and shows that one man, at least, appreciates the value of the survivors of men who peril their lives every day.

A lady writes of the new Queen of the Sandwich Islands as follows: "I can't say what kind of a sensation she would create in Boston literary society; but to one accustomed to Hawaiian features and dusky skins, she makes a very pleasing picture. She is about thirty-five years of age, a little above the average height, portly in person, and carries herself with a queenly dignity becoming her station, which dignity is entirely natural to her, as it is to most of the Hawaiian women. She speaks so little English that she does not trust herself to use this language in company, so conversation is somewhat difficult; but her bright, pleasant, intelligent expression makes up for a great deal else. She had a reception of the ladies of Honolulu at the palace a few weeks ago, and her manners were worthy of any lady in the land, while her dress was simplicity itself, but rich enough to suit her rank. In her younger days she was nurse to the son of the present Queen Dowager, and was said to be very beautiful. It was then thought that Kalakaua lowered himself somewhat in marrying one below him in rank, but to my mind it was a very creditable thing; he loved her, and I respect him all the more for it. I saw their Majesties lately at a grand party given on board the Benicia, and on that occasion she looked a Queen of whom her husband might surely be proud."

THE FUNNY MAN OF CONGRESS.

The funny man of the House last Winter, says the Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, was said to be Mr. Nesmith, of Oregon, who tells on himself some very amusing stories. He served one term in the Senate several years ago, and a few days after he was passing one of the cloak rooms, and inside was Messrs. Fessenden, Morrill, and several others, whose names we can't call. They hailed him, invited him in, and, after conversing for a few moments, they asked him, very abruptly:

"Mr. Nesmith, you have come from a very wild country, where you say the greater portion of your life has been passed. Will you tell us what first struck you on coming to the Senate?"

"When I took my seat in this august body, said to be composed of the brains of the country, I was overwhelmed with the strangeness of the one idea—how I came to be here."

"Oh! Ah! Ugh! So! And then, Mr. Nesmith, what then? What was your next cause for wonder?"

"The next thing, gentlemen," answered Nesmith, slowly gathering up his great length, "that came to me and puzzled me more than the first thought, was how in the deuce all you other fellows got here!"

There was a shout, and from that day these old fellows who had thought to over-awe, by their pomposity, the crude young Senator, were his sworn friends, and never neglected an occasion to tell this story.

THE WOOL MARKET.

We are in receipt from Messrs. Coates Bros., Philadelphia, of their Wool Circular for July, from which we make the following extracts:—

"The wool market has now fairly opened. Supplies are coming forward liberally, and all the wool houses have probably some assortment on hand. Stocks are, however, yet very moderate but there is no longer the scarcity which was noticeable a few weeks ago. In some parts of the country a considerable part of the clip has passed into second hands at good prices for the grower. In other sections very little has yet been bought, the wool being temporarily held above the views of the buyers. The Fall trade for goods is generally regarded as promising, crops in almost all sections being good, and the financial policy passed by Congress regarded with favor. Although these facts promise an increase in trade, yet we cannot look for any marked advance in prices, as this would at once check buyers from operating freely, for the fact must not be lost sight of that goods are relatively lower than wool. Wool is now some three or four cents higher than it was at this time last year, while manufactured goods are considerably lower. Manufacturers cannot, therefore, pay an advance for wool unless goods should improve very materially. With prices as they now are, the mills that are running will continue to buy cautiously, and, with an improvement in the volume of trade, we may look for the idle machinery to be set in motion so that the production of goods will be increased and demand for wool stronger, yet with but little change in prices. During the next few months the Eastern markets will have a good supply of wool, and the factories will not purchase foreign stock while they can get plenty of domestic at fair prices. Trade during the past month has been fair at our quotations.

"The quotations for Colorado and New Mexican Wools, are as follows:

Washed, fine choice selected, new clip	.28@30
Washed, average grades	25 " 27
Washed, black	18 " 20
Unwashed, average grades	.22 " 25
Unwashed, coarse	.22 " 23
Unwashed, black	.17 " 18

TWO ENGLISH HABITS.

We find in the London correspondence of the Boston *Herald* two English habits which are peculiar. One is the habit the writers for *Punch*, and notably the editors thereof, have of leaving their families penniless. First comes Jerrold, then Leach, then Mark Lemon, and now Shirley Brooks. The latter, for the last ten years of his life at least, must have earned an income averaging two thousand pounds a year, and yet he leaves his wife and children the interest only of an insurance policy, giving an income of some one hundred and fifty pounds per annum on which to live! His house was a good one; his rooms were usually full of excellent company. You saw there the academician, the popular actor, the opera singer, the county physician, the poet, the traveler. And yet all this was dependent upon health, which was notoriously frail! Another habit is one which the British Parliament has of putting down an obnoxious member by all kinds of mimicry and cat calls, coughing and stamping of feet, like the shilling gallery of a theatre. This is the way that undignified body greeted Mr. Jenkins, of "Ginx's Baby" fame, and known among us last winter as a lecturer: "Mr. Jenkins has an irritating style. He conveys the impression that he has searched from Dan to Beersheba and found no one so tremendously clever as himself. His conceit is something to be seen to be understood. That long, narrow head, bold demeanor, and priggish style drove the very out the House out of patience, and all sorts of cries were raised. An unfortunate slip, 'her late Majesty's government' instead of 'her Majesty's late government' was caught up and repeated, and some of the members mimicked his pronunciation of the word 'Ashantee.' It is hard for a new man when the House of Commons adopts this sort of treatment towards him. The next thing will be to call upon him to 'sing' as they call upon Mr. Whalley to do."

MARK TWAIN AND THE BOOK-AGENT.

A book peddler visited Mark Twain at home, to get his subscription for a new work, of which he carried a copy. He found the genial Mark being in his garden. He was kindly received, and asked to take a seat. He took a seat. The seat was on top of a fence, the uppermost rail of which was sharp. He was not happy when he sat down, and he got no happier as he remained. He remained there, too, a very long while, and Mr. Twain was very kind. He talked to him about the book and its author, whom he knew; about the pictures and the letter press, and then he branched off into other and very deep literary subjects, of which the agent knew nothing. After an hour or so Twain hospitably asked the agent into the house, and then he talked to him some more. The agent was getting very tired and very hungry. Twain excused himself for a moment, and staid away for an hour, during which time the agent suspects he took his dinner. He came back, and was still very kind and talked again. It was now nearly 6 p. m., and the agent had come about 11 a. m. He had had nothing to eat, and not a word had been said about subscription. He grew desperate and asked Twain if he would subscribe. "I think I will," drawled Twain, "but not to-day—come to-morrow and we will talk about it." The agent decamped, and he now swears—though he had a nice time, and Twain is a good talker—that he will never go back again; no, never.

RATHER ROUGH ON HIM.

An English paper gives a ludicrous account of the adventures of a youth who set out to attend a masked ball. He resolved to appear in a novel character, and therefore chose the costume of his early ancestors according to Darwin. His clothing was manufactured by a furrier, except an india-rubber tail. He looked in the glass and pronounced himself a first-class monkey in looks and appearance. As the distance from his hotel to the ball-room was short and his finances had been taxed in procuring his wardrobe, he resolved to walk instead of taking a carriage. His presence attracted considerable attention on the street, but he was not molested till he met two immense and very fierce dogs, who immediately pounced upon him. To shout for a policeman was not in keeping with his assumed character, so with true beastly agility he climbed to the top of a high and sharp fence to await the coming of some friend in human form. But, unfortunately, a fog came on, obscuring the gas lights, and no one ventured into the street. So he remained "treed" for several hours, during which time he became tired of playing monkey.

THE SECRET OF POWER.

A gentleman one day earnestly requested Mr. Webster to speak in the Senate on an important subject. "I have no time," was the reply; "I have no time to master the subject so as to do it justice." "But, Mr. Webster," urged the applicant, "a few words from you would do so much to awaken public attention to it." "If there be such weight in my words as you represent," rejoined the great statesman, "it is because I do not allow myself to speak on any subject till I have imbued my mind with it."

"Men give me credit for genius," said Alexander Hamilton; "all the genius I have lies just in this—when I have a subject in hand, I study it profoundly. Day and night it is before me. I explore it in all its bearings; my mind becomes pervaded with it. Then the effort which I make the people please to call the fruit of genius. It is the fruit of labor and thought."

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